

**HAINES FALLS**

Cool Winds Sweep the Mountains, Despite the Heat Wave.

Haines Falls, N. Y., July 8.—While the Catskill Mountains cover a great portion of three counties and extend into a fourth county, there is no part of the Catskills so well known to resort frequenters as the section lying within five miles of this beautiful hamlet.

While New Yorkers were gasping for breath in the city during the last week, the people at Haines Falls, care free and happy, had the benefit of the cool mountain breezes that swept over the village, and their vacations were ideal ones. The evening hops at the hotels were pleasant affairs, made more pleasant by the cool evenings. Boating on the lakes was another pleasant amusement.

The Fourth of July was celebrated in a formal manner, a majority of the cotagers participating in the celebration.

A. E. Hamilton, Miss Dorothy Hamilton and J. G. Hamilton, of Brooklyn, have opened their summer home in the park and will remain there until late in September.

Luxhurst is entertaining one of the largest crowds of people they have ever had. Among their late arrivals are Mr. and Mrs. John M. Denninger, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick L. Rogers, Sylvester La Manita, Mr. and Mrs. James J. Dwyer, Miss Marie A. McKenna and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stevenson.

Arrivals at the Laurel House include T. R. Nightingale, William Nitjutsch, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Crane, John Tueck, Mr. and Mrs. A. Keller and family, Miss Amy Keller and Miss Mamie Keller.

TANNERSVILLE

Tannersville, N. Y., July 8.—Tannersville, like the other Catskill Mountain villages, has had an unusually busy week, because in addition to the vast throng of summer visitors who have been entertained within its hospitable gates, the fourteenth annual convention of the Federation of American Zionists has been in session here since last Sunday, bringing large numbers of prominent Jewish people to Tannersville.

The most important subject discussed during the week was the movement to purchase one hundred thousand acres of land in Palestine annually to establish a Jewish colony. The proposition came from the National Fund Committee, represented by Dr. E. M. Rosenblum, of Cologne, Germany, who also reported that thirty-eight agricultural colonies had already been established in Palestine.

CAIRO.

Cairo, N. Y., July 8.—A large part of the Fourth of July excursionists who visited the Catskills came here, because Cairo is the most popular excursion resort in the entire mountains. The popularity of Cairo is due in a great measure to the many and varied forms of amusement provided for the entertainment of summer visitors, and during the last week, while Cairo has more places of amusement than any other village in the mountains, the capacity of each place has been taxed to the utmost.

The dance halls, the moving picture theatres, and the bowling alleys have been working overtime, and horses have been at a premium because of the throng of people here.

Work is rapidly being pushed forward on the new state road here, and when it is completed the road from here to Catskill will be one of the finest in the state and there will be almost a continuous macadamized road from Catskill to points in Delaware County. This, of course, will add to Cairo's popularity as an automobile centre.

Rockwood in the Pines has been busy entertaining one of the largest crowds it has ever had during the first week in July. Among those who are enjoying their vacation there are Mrs. B. Nade, Mrs. J. Donnelly, Miss Donnelly, Miss Alice McGroarty, Miss Anna McGroarty, of Brooklyn; Mr. and Mrs. George Smeeth, Miss M. C. Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. Francis A. O'Neill and Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Westcott, of New York City.

WINDHAM.

Windham, N. Y., July 6. Windham, the village beautiful, boasts of being one of the prettiest of the Catskill Mountain villages, and there are few people who have seen Windham who will dispute it. Situated at the summit of the mountains, it is delightfully cool here during the summer season, and one will find great relief from the oppressive air of the city within a few minutes after his arrival.

Since last season Windham has become the proud possessor of a beautiful lake,

the water of which is now used for swimming.

Catskill, N. Y., July 8.—There has never

been a week when more people have arrived at the Catskill gateway to the mountains, and a large portion of the arrivals have remained in and around the village of Catskill, so that the last week has been a record breaking one here and the numerous affairs that have taken place have been well attended.

The Fourth was appropriately celebrated, and the numerous displays of fireworks during the evening surpassed those of previous years.

The most important event of the week was the annual Catskill handicap tennis tournament, held at the Grant House grounds on Monday and Tuesday.

The Fourth of July ball at the Grant House was one of the most brilliant affairs of the season, and was well attended.

Among the late arrivals at the Grant

House are Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Shipman, Mrs. Myra Bedell, W. J. Costello, Mrs. A. Harper and son, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. White, Miss Margaret Donoghue, James T. O'Neill, Mrs. T. O'Neill, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. Smythe, R. J. Smythe, Jr., and Virginia Smythe of Brooklyn; John J. Shanahan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Marco, R. Tonney, R. Walters, R. Marco, William Marco, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith, Joseph Smith, Charles J. Osley and Mr. and Mrs. G. Welman, of New York City, and T. W. Nyland, of Albany.

LAWRENCEVILLE.

Lawrenceville, N. Y., July 8.—Kyle Kamp opened last Friday with the arrival of the fifty boys who will spend the summer here, accompanied by their instructors, and from now until September this will be one of the liveliest of the small hamlets embraced in the Catskills.

Kyle Kamp is the summer school of the Kyle Institute, at Flushing, Long Island, and has become one of the features of this section that is attracting considerable interest. The boys receive their instruction, have a splendid opportunity to study nature at its best, and are provided with a number of amusements, so that their stay is a pleasant one, and the people throughout the Catskills are very proud of the institution.

LEEDS.

Leeds, N. Y., July 8.—A glance at the crowded trolley cars going and coming to and from Leeds would cause one to believe that this place was more popular this year than ever before, and a glance into the dining rooms, the hotels and boarding houses here would prove beyond a doubt that Leeds is one of the most popular places in the Catskill Mountains.

Trolley parties are exceedingly popular with the people who are spending their vacations here, and Green Lake has lost none of the attractions that have always made it popular, especially with the members of the younger set. So the cool, clear days of the last week have caused the people summering at Leeds to take advantage of the beautiful weather to spend a good share of their time boating on the lake.

Dancing during the evening is as popular as ever, and there are three dances in progress this evening, each of which is well attended.

The beefsteak dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Elshen, of Elizabeth, N. J., in honor of their silver wedding was a pleasant affair.

The Greene Lake Homestead, at Athens, is entertaining this week F. Quigley, M. J. Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stevens, William Muir, Miss Jenny Muir, H. A. Brelen, Brooklyn; Mr. McCabe and family, L. H. Tieblich, E. Dinkler, Charles F. Weil, Mr. and Mrs. Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hough, John Levin, George Ritchie, Miss Nellie Gibson, Miss E. Gibson, Miss Charlotte O'Keefe, New York City; Bert McDonald, William Buckley, Fred Thrupp, Charles Keller, Mount Vernon, N. Y.; Miss Sadie Madison, Miss Anna J. Walls, West Chester; Miss Cecilia Donnelly, Mrs. Helen Donnelly, The Bronx; Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McGiffert, Washington, D. C.; John R. Hohmeier, John Beden, Jersey City.

Roxbury.

Roxbury, N. Y., July 6. Roxbury, as well as the other villages throughout the Western Catskills, proves popular with the summer visitors, and the arrivals of the last week have given it an envious look up appearance. The Fourth was celebrated here in an appropriate manner, the greater part of the exercises being held at Rockwood Park, the summer residence of Mrs. Helen Miller Gould, which was thrown open to the people of Roxbury through her courtesy. The celebration included a baseball game and a concert by the Roxbury concert band, with a display of fireworks in the

few minutes after his arrival.

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Catskill, N. Y., July 8.—There has never

been a week between T. Armstrong and H. B. Ladlow.

Every available cottage has been taken this season and the large number of young people here makes things active. Every winter the work of cottage building has gone on and the Point has been built up so in the last five years that it is now the most favorite resort in this part of the country.

Mrs. Sidney Hartshorn, of New York, has

opened her cottage and has with her for

the summer Mr. and Mrs. Horace Poor, of

New York. Among the many other New

York cottagers now occupying their sum-

mer homes are Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Miller,

Mr. George Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Burnham, Rev. and Mrs. Medary, Miss Ten

Eck, Dr. and Mrs. William McDonald,

Dr. and Mrs. Fred A. Lund, Mr. and Mrs.

Charles Cooper, Miss Florence M. Belding,

Charles M. Vail, Mr. and Mrs. G. Watson,

Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Laidlow, Mr. and Mrs.

Theodore Price, and Mr. and Mrs. A. H.

Fischer and Harry Fischer.

Among those recently registered at the

Griswold on the evening of the Fourth was largely attended. In the afternoon the Griswold ball team defeated the

Imperial of Norwich by a score of 8 to 3.

The Shenecossett Club was also an active

place on the afternoon of the Fourth, for

the first gentleman's sweepstakes tourna-

ment was run off, and out of thirty-three

contestants the best gross score was made

by W. H. Holden. For the net score prize

Roger Derby, Richard Derby, L. G. Day,

and Mrs. W. T. Weston, Miss Helen McIntry, Miss Mary McIntry, Miss Adele Murphy, Frank Callaghan, Albert Behring, Jr., Mrs. Marie Bates, Miss Frances Pasquale; Ingleside, A. P. Nahmens, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. McConnell, Wm. J. Hill, Cold Spring House, Mr. Tamm, Miss Gorsuch; Greenhurst, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Van Dyke, Miss Lucille Turner; Simpson Terrace, Frank J. Blonder, Mountain View House, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Ladue, Miss M. Greenhut; Campion House, Mr. and Mrs. Webster Davis, Miss Florence Basman.

and Mrs. W. T. Weston, Miss Helen McIntry, Miss Mary McIntry, Miss Adele Murphy, Frank Callaghan, Albert Behring, Jr., Mrs. Marie Bates, Miss Frances Pasquale; Ingleside, A. P. Nahmens, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. McConnell, Wm. J. Hill, Cold Spring House, Mr. Tamm, Miss Gorsuch; Greenhurst, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Van Dyke, Miss Lucille Turner; Simpson Terrace, Frank J. Blonder, Mountain View House, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Ladue, Miss M. Greenhut; Campion House, Mr. and Mrs. Webster Davis, Miss Florence Basman.

THOUSAND ISLANDS

Motor Boats Are on the River, and Life Is Gay.

Last week at the Thousand Islands brought the usual July throngs. Most of the cottages are now occupied and all the hotels are showing well filled registers. With the arrival of the orchestras at the various resorts dancing has started, and many receptions have been arranged.

With the opening of the hotels has come the reorganization of the motor boat associations. Daily entries are being received for the gold challenge cup races to be held August 8 to 10.

In connection with the races a water carnival is being planned to supersede anything of a like nature ever held on the St. Lawrence.

The Frateline defender, Dixie IV, will

sail low in the water for her trial spins.

R. J. Powell, of Manhattan, is trying out

a new purchase, expected to reveal great

speed. The Furloing, a powerful hydroplane, belonging to Walter F. Harris, of Newark, N. J., which was injured recently by striking a shoal, is now again in condition and has made its first speed trials.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Miles Gibbons, of the Waldorf-Astoria, Manhattan, narrowly escaped serious accident on Monday. They were aboard their yacht, the Fly, with Miss Gibbons at the wheel and Ernest Brigham running the engine, when suddenly they lost control and came near

driving dashed to pieces on the rocks. However, they finally succeeded in bringing the yacht under control and returned to St. Lawrence Park uninjured.

Bear Admiral G. Blockridge and his wife are at the Thousand Island House, Alexandria Bay. On Wednesday Colonel O. G. Staples entertained a party of friends in honor of Admiral Blockridge aboard his yacht, the Nerid. Among the guests was Colonel Willis Brewster, of Montgomery, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Goodman, of Manhattan, who are on a motor car trip, have stopped off at the Letitia for several weeks.

From there they will go to the White

Mountains and Maine. William D. Young, who arrived from New York during the week, has overhauled his motor boat, the Moxie, which is reputed to be the fastest

12-foot craft on the river.

Members of the New York Turn Verein held their annual convention and outing at the Thousand Island House last week. Early in the week more than two hundred Brooklyn girls visited the islands on one of Cook's tours. The New York State Fire Underwriters meet at the Frontenac July 8 to 10, and the Metal Ware Club a week later. The annual convention of the New York State Millers will take place at the Columbia soon.

LENOX

Refreshing Rain Breaks Hot Spell in the Berkshires.

Lenox, July 8.—The Berkshires escaped the worst of the hot wave this week, for the days were broken by cooling showers and Tuesday there was a drop of 20 degrees in the afternoon following a rain storm which had its centre over Lenox and cooled all the region. Nights have been cool, despite the heat wave in midday, the temperature registered into the nineties, which is a record in Lenox.

Guests at hotels telegraphed to New York friends to join them, and Hotel Apawamis filled up over the Fourth by those who had learned of this cool spot. At the hotel on the Fourth a dance was held. There was also a patriotic concert and illumination.

In Pittsfield, where the town celebrated its 150th birthday, the hotels were busy.

The Maplewood has been an interesting spot and was decorated with pennants and banners and illuminated at night during the three days' celebration. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Humstone, Miss Mary Humstone and M. C. Humstone are at the Maplewood for the summer.

Curtis Hotel was filled over the Fourth and guests were quartered in its cottages for the first time this year. Ex-Governor

and Mrs. John D. Long, of Massachusetts, were among the notable guests at the hotel for the holiday. This week hotel concerts began. Mrs. Daniel Torrence, of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hadden ate here for the second time.

Two of the coolest hotels in the Berkshires are the Irving House, in Dalton, and Greenock Inn, in Lee. Manager Savage, of the inn, has opened the Greenock Country Club for the summer and the ladies were filled during the week.

Berkshire's new hotel, the Ile de la Reine, under the base of Greylock Mountain, has been a popular resort this week. It is twenty-five miles from Lenox, over a fine state highway, which makes the inn a delightful spot to motor for tea or luncheon.

In the Stockbridge hotels there is a large

party of young people who have kept the Casino tennis courts and golf club links busy this week. Stockbridge is getting ready for its tennis tournaments, in which all the young people of the Berkshires compete for honors.

Up on the Field Hill, where is Heaton Hall, there has been comfort even on the hottest days. Dances on alternate nights at the Red Lion Inn are of high interest to old and young.

Miss George Westinghouse, on the Fourth raised the flag to the breeze on top of Jacob's Ladder again, having just raised a flag there when the state boundary was opened.

Newbold Morris has been elected a member of the board of governors of the Lake Minnewaska Boat Club, to succeed the late John E. Alexander, and Gerald Foster was elected a member of the vestry of Trinity Church, to succeed the late George H. Morgan.

There were thirty at the annual luncheon of the Lenox Club on the Fourth. Captain Barnes, who has been president for a score of years was re-elected. Frank K. Sturgis, William D. Sloane, Edward Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Long, and Mrs. John A. Hadden were among the notable guests at the hotel.

Miss Charlotte Barnes will entertain the Lenox Garden Club next week. There will be the annual dinner show on the 20th.

Appleton Wade, Melville Davison Pease, and John du Bois Bots have been elected members of the Lenox Golf Club.

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